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Board of Dentistry

MEETING MINUTES

899 NORTH CAPITOL ST. NE

ROOM 216

WASHINGTON, DC 20002

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

March 16, 2016

10:30am-11:30am



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BOARD MEMBERSHIP/ATTENDANCE:

BOARD MEMBERS:		
	RENEE MCCOY-COLLINS, DDS- CHAIRPERSON	
	JOHN R. BAILEY, DDS	
	JUDITH HENRY, DDS	
	YOLANDA JOSEY-BAKER, RDH	Excused absence
	DIANNE SMITH, ESQ, CONSUMER MEMBER	
	JEZELLE SONNIER, DDS	
	WESLEY THOMAS, DMD	
STAFF:	Dr. VITO DELVENTO – EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BOARD	
	OF DENTISTRY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, VETERINARY	
	BOARD	
	THOMASINE POINTER – HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	
	JOY MCFARLANE-MILLS-	



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	REBECCA ODRICK, INVESTIGATOR
	DIANE MOORER – IT SUPPORT
LEGAL STAFF:	CARLA WILLAMS, ESQ, BOARD ATTORNEY



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CASE ASSIGNMENTS:

BOARD MEMBERS:			
DR. MCCOY-COLLINS (RMC)			
MS. JOSEY-BAKER (YJB)			
DR. BAILEY (JB)			
MS. DIANNE SMITH, ESQ (DS)			
DR.SONNIER (JS))			
DR. THOMAS (WT)			
BOD STAFF:			
DR. VITO DELVENTO (VDV)			
CARLA WILLIAMS (CW)			
THOMASINE POINTER (TP)			
JOY MCFARLANE-MILLS (JMM)			
REBECCA ODRICK (RO)			



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OS-0316-01	INTRODUCTION- REPORTS	RMC
	1. CALL TO ORDER-The meeting was called to order at 10:40am.	
	2. PRESIDING –Dr. Renee McCoy-Collins, Board Chairperson	
	 QUORUM-yes BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT-Dr. John Bailey, Member, Dr. Judith Henry, Member, Dr. Jezelle Sonnier, Board Member, Ms. Dianne Smith, Esq., and Dr. Wesley Thomas. 	
	5. PUBLIC ATTENDANCE –Dr. Steven Guttenberg, Sec. of the D.C. Dental Society, Mr. Doug Fesler, Executive Director, D.C. Dental Society, Ms. Toni /Reeves, licensed dental hygienist.	
	6. STAFF PRESENT-Dr. Vito DelVento, Executive Director, Carla Williams, Board Attorney, Rebecca Odrick, Investigator, Thomasine Pointer, Health Licensing Specialist, Joy McFarlane-Mills, Program Specialist, and Francis Kpue, Licensing Specialist.	



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OS-0316-02	SENIC	OR DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT	SL
	Direct	There was no report from the Senior Deputy or.	
OS-0316-03	EXECU	JTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT	VDV
	1.	BOD Calendar- Dr. DelVento stated that the next four	
		(4) board meetings will be held on April 20, 2016, May	
		25, 2016, June 15, 2016 and July 20, 2016.	
	2.	BOD Conferences -Dr. Renee McCoy-Collins, Board Chairperson, and Dr. Jezelle Sonnier, Vice Chairperson,	
		Will be attending the AADB Mid-Year meeting in	
		Chicago on April 10-11, 2016.	
	3.	BOD Census-Dentists-1286, Dental Hygienist 518, authority to administer no, authority to administer la, authority to administer no/la, Dental Assistant II-517	



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	and Dental Assistants I 50.	
OS-0316-04	BOARD COUNSELOR'S REPORT	CW
	Ms. Carla Williams, Board Attorney, asked the members of the	
	D.C. Dental Society to reach out to their members to inform	
	the dentist that they should not have any dental assistants	
	working in their office without a current registration.	
OS-0316-05	BOARD CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT	RMC
OS-0316-06	COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC	
OS-0316-07	MINUTES	LT
	Consideration of the February 17, 2016, meeting Open Session minutes.	
	The Board voted to approve the minutes with the correction on page 5, Dr. Steven Guttenberg is not the President of the DC Dental Society, he's the Secretary of the DC Dental Society.	
	Motion: Approve the minutes with one correction.	
	Seconded	



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	Passed Unanimously	
OS-0316-08	ANESTHESIA REGULATIONS & ANESTHESIA TASK FORCE DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS A draft copy of the anesthesia regulations will be forwarded to	CW
	the Board for review. The anesthesia regulations will be the	
	next regulations that the Board will be working on. The Board	
	has to create a subcommittee to work on the anesthesia regulations.	
	The Board selected a sub-committee to work on the anesthesia regulations. They will start working on the regulations on 3/23/16.	
	Motion: Dr. Renee McCoy-Collins, Board Chairperson, Ms. Dianne Smith, Esq., Consumer Member and Dr. Jezelle Sonnier, Vice Chairperson are the committee members that will be working on the regulations.	
	Seconded	
	Passed Unanimously	
OS-0316-09	WORKFORCE SURVEY	VD
	Dr. Vito DelVento, Executive Director, informed the Board	
	that 1239 dentists renewed their license and 1206 completed	
	the workforce survey, 97% of the dentist completed the survey.	



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OS-0316-10	<u>NEWSLETTER</u>	JS
	The newsletter should be going out late spring.	

This concludes the Public Open Session of the meeting, and pursuant to the D.C. Official Code 2-575B and for the purposes set forth therein, the Board will now move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting.



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